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For: LOCKING FUEL TANK COVER

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Respectfully,


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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
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	4,313,321	02/1982	Wasser	70	159	
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OTHER DOCUMENTS <small>(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)</small>		
		John Deere Parts Catalog 2540; Fuel Tank And Gauge (LH)(W/Cab); Pages 1 & 2.

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